

LIST OF COMMONLY FOUND ACRONYMS IN NRDA RESTORATION PLANS

ACRONYMS	DEFINITIONS
ac.	acres
ACOE	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
AFCA	Anadromous Fish Conservation Act (16 USC 757a et seq.)
AG	Attorney General
AWQC	ambient water quality chronic criteria
BIA	Bureau of Indian Affairs
BOD	Biological oxygen demand
C	Centigrade
CDF	Confined Disposal Facility
CEQ	Council on Environmental Quality
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
Ch.	Chapter
CO	carbon monoxide
Corps	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
CRIS	Court Registry Investment Systems
CSL	cleanup screening level
CSO	combined sewage overflow
CWA	Clean Water Act (33 USC 1251 et seq.)
CZMA	Coastal Zone Management Act (16 USC 1451 et seq.)
dBA	decibels (measure of sound intensity)
DDT	dichlorodiphenyltrichloroethane (an insecticide)
DOC	Department of Commerce (U.S.)
DOD	Department of Defense (U.S.)
DOI	Department of the Interior (U.S.)
DOJ	Department of Justice (U.S.)
DOM	dissolved organic matter
dRP	draft Restoration Plan
EA	Environmental Assessment
ed(s).	editor(s)
EHAP	Estuarine Habitat Assessment Protocol
EIR	environmental impact review
EIS	Environmental Impact Statement
E.O.	Executive Order
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency (U.S.)
ESA	Endangered Species Act (16 USC 1531 et seq.)
FAA	Federal Aviation Administration
FDA	U.S. Food and Drug Administration
FICUN	Federal Interagency Committee on Urban Noise
FONSI	Finding of No Significant Impact
FPN	Federal Procurement Number
FR or Fed. Reg.	Federal Register
ft	feet
FWCA	Fish and Wildlife Conservation Act (16 USC 661 et seq.)
FWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (U.S.)
g	gram
GIS	Geographic Information System
ha	hectares (2.471 acres)
HEA	Habitat Equivalency Analysis

HFA	Habitat Focus Area
I	Interstate highway, as in I-5
IGBC	Interagency Grizzly Bear Committee
kg	kilogram
L	liter
LAT	Lead Administrative Trustee
m	meter
MHHW	mean higher high water
MLLW	mean lower low water
mm	millimeter
MOA /MOU	Memorandum of Agreement/Memorandum of Understanding
MRI	magnetic resonance imaging
NHESP	Natural Heritage and Endangered Species Program
NCP	National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan (40 CFR Part 300)
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act (42 USC 4321 et seq.)
ng/L	nanograms/liter
NMFS	National Marine Fisheries Service
No, no	number
NO	nitric oxide
NO _x	nitrous oxides
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NOI	Notice of Intent
NPDES	National Pollution Discharge Elimination Act
NPL	National Priorities List
NPP	net primary production
NPS	National Park Service
NPV	net present value
NRDA	Natural Resource Damage Assessment
NRT	Natural Resource Trustees
NWF	National Wildlife Federation
NWP	Nationwide Permit (Corps)
NWR	National Wildlife Refuge
OAHP	Office of Archeology and Historical Preservation
OC	organochlorine pesticides
OEPC	Office of Environmental Policy and Compliance
OPA	Oil Pollution Act of 1990
O.U.	Operable Unit (part of a Superfund Site cleanup)
PAHs	polynuclear aromatic hydrocarbons
P.C./pers. comm.	Personal communication
PCBs	polychlorinated biphenyls
PCSD	President's Council on Sustainable Development
PHS	Priority Habitat and Species database
PM-10	filterable particulate matter in air, 10 micrometer in diameter or less
Plan or RP	Restoration Plan
pp.	pages
ppm	parts per million
PRP	potentially responsible party
psi	pounds per square inch
PVC	polyvinyl chloride
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
RI/FS	Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study
ROD	Record of Decision
RFP	Request for Proposals

RP	Restoration Plan
RP	Responsible Party (under OPA)
RP/EA	Restoration Plan and Environmental Assessment
RP/EIS	Restoration Plan and Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement
SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (P.L. 99-499)
SCAT	Shoreline Cleanup Assessment Team
SDWA	Safe Drinking Water Act
Sec.	section
SO ₂	sulfur dioxide
sp. or spp.	species
SR	state highway route, as in SR-99
SUP	Special Use Permit
Superfund	EPA National Priorities List of Contaminated Sites
TAC	Technical Advisory Committee
TPII	total petroleum hydrocarbons
Trustees	Natural Resource Damage Assessment Trustees
USC	United States Code
USCG	U.S. Coast Guard
USDOD	U.S. Department of Defense
US DOT	U.S. Department of Transportation
USEPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
USFWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
USGPO	U.S. Government Printing Office
USGS	U.S. Geological Survey
USN	U.S. Department of the Navy
VOC	volatile organic compounds
vol.	volume
wt	weight
WWTP	wastewater treatment plant
UNESCO	United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization
YOY	young of year
§404	section 404, Clean Water Act
%	percent
µg/m ³	micrograms per cubic meter

ACRONYMS FOR STATE OF WASHINGTON

Basin, the	Puyallup-White River Basin (WRIA #10)
Bay, the	Commencement Bay (Commencement Bay, Wash.)
CB/NRDA	Commencement Bay Natural Resource Damage Assessment (Commencement Bay, Wash.)
CB/NT	Commencement Bay Nearshore/Tideflats (Commencement Bay, Wash.)
CHB	Citizens for a Healthy Bay (Commencement Bay, Wash.)
City, the	City of Tacoma (Wash.)
Ecology	Washington State Department of Ecology
GMA	Washington State Growth Management Act
MSA	Tacoma Metropolitan Statistical Area (Wash.)
MTCA	State of Washington Model Toxics Control Act
OCNMS	Olympic Coast National Marine Sanctuary (Wash.)
ONP	Olympic National Park (Wash.)
PSAPCA	Puget Sound Air Pollution Control Agency
RCW	Revised Code of Washington
River, the	Puyallup River

Sanctuary	Olympic Coast National Marine Sanctuary (Wash.)
SEPA	Washington State Environmental Policy Act
SIP	State (of Washington) Implementation Plan
SMS	Washington State Sediment Management Standards
SQS	Washington State Sediment Quality Standards
SOAL	State owned aquatic lands
TPCHD	Tacoma-Pierce County Health Department
UBAT	State of Washington Urban Bay Action Team
WAC	Washington Administrative Code
WARIS	Washington Rivers Information System
WDFW	Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife
WDNR	Washington Department of Natural Resources
WDOE	Washington State Department of Ecology
WQMA	Washington State Water Quality Management Area
WRIA	Washington State Water Resource Inventory Area
WSP	Washington State Parks

ACRONYMS FOR STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS

BBP	Buzzards Bay Project (New Bedford, Mass.)
CBB	Coalition for Buzzards Bay (New Bedford, Mass.)
CLF	Conservation Law Foundation (New Bedford, Mass.)
CMR	Code of Massachusetts Regulations
CRAB	Community Restoration Advisory Board (New Bedford, Mass.)
DHCD	Massachusetts Department of Housing and Community Development
EOEA	Massachusetts Executive Office of Environmental Affairs
HATRC	Hands Across the River Coalition (New Bedford, Mass.)
MCZM	Mass. Office of Coastal Zone Management
MDPH	Mass. Department of Public Health
MDEM	Mass. Department of Environmental Management
MDEP	Mass. Department of Environmental Protection
MDFWELE	Mass. Department of Fisheries, Wildlife and Environmental Law Enforcement
MDFW	Mass. Division of Fish and Wildlife
MDMF	Mass. Division of Marine Fisheries
MEPA	Mass. Environmental Policy Act (MGL Ch. 30 sec. 61 et seq.)
MESA	Mass. Endangered Species Act (MGL Ch. 131A)
MET	Mass. Environmental Trust
MGL	Mass. General Laws
MHC	Mass. Historical Commission
NBHTC	New Bedford Harbor Trustee Council
WHALE	Waterfront Historic Area League (New Bedford, Mass.)

ACRONYMS FOR STATE OF HAWAII

DLNR	Department of Land and Natural Resources, State of Hawaii
DOH	Department of Health, State of Hawaii
HECO	Hawaiian Electric Company
RIMPAC	Rim of the Pacific

List excerpted from the following:

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